

## FINANCES: WAIVER OF CERTAIN CLAIMS

*Exchange of notes at Port-au-Prince October 1, 1947, terminating  
agreement of September 13, 1941  
Entered into force October 1, 1947*

61 Stat. 4111; Treaties and Other  
International Acts Series 1862

*The American Chargé d'Affaires ad interim to the Secretary of State  
for Foreign Affairs*

AMERICAN EMBASSY  
PORT-AU-PRINCE, October 1, 1947

### EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to inform Your Excellency that my Government considers the conditions set forth in Article 11 of the Agreement between the United States of America and Haiti signed September 13, 1941,<sup>1</sup> at Port-au-Prince as having been met and, accordingly, my Government is happy to acknowledge that the provisions of that Agreement automatically cease to have effect on October 1, 1947.

It is the understanding of my Government that no claims shall be advanced by either Government against the other Government on account of any act of the citizens of the United States who have served as members of the Board of Directors of the National Bank of Haiti or as employees of the bank pursuant to the Agreement of September 13, 1941. I should appreciate it if Your Excellency would inform me whether your Government concurs in this understanding.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurance of my high consideration.

ROBERT H. MCBRIDE  
*Chargé d'Affaires ad interim*

His Excellency

EDMÉ MANIGAT,

*Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,  
Port-au-Prince.*

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<sup>1</sup> EAS 220, *ante*, p. 739.

*The Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs to the American Chargé d'Affaires  
ad interim*

[TRANSLATION]

DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS

REPUBLIC OF HAITI  
PORT-AU-PRINCE, *October 1, 1947*

No. SG/A-3:10

MR. CHARGÉ D'AFFAIRES,

I have the pleasure of acknowledging receipt of the note dated today in which you inform me that the Government of the United States of America considers the conditions of Article 11 of the Agreement between Haiti and the United States of America signed on September 13, 1941 as having been met, and that the said Agreement ceases to have effect today, October 1, 1947.

This Chancellery has taken due note of the two points which are the subject of the aforementioned communication and concurs with the United States Government with respect to the second paragraph of your note.

Please accept, Mr. Chargé d'Affaires, the assurance of my very distinguished consideration.

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MR. ROBERT H. MCBRIDE,  
*Chargé d'Affaires ad interim  
of the United States of America,  
Port-au-Prince.*